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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Application of:

Masakatsu ENDO et al.

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Applicants request that the Amendment being filed concurrently herewith be considered and submit that this paper satisfies the submission requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.114.

Applicants are attaching a check in the amount of \$810.00 to cover the RCE fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) (Applicants note that the deadline of August 23, 2008 for responding to the Final Office Action fell on a Saturday).

In the event additional fees are due to enable the filing of this RCE, the Commissioner (or the Director) is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. NGBCP003).

Respectfully submitted,
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